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Ms. Verneta Simon
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Dear Ms. Simon,

As a participating member of the Association for the Wolf Lake Initiative, the Southeast Chicago Development Commission (SCDCom) would like to express support for the remediation and restoration of the Calumet Container site. We would like to see the site restored as a wetland. This is in accordance with the City of Chicago's *Calumet Land Use Plan*, which SCDCom helped to develop, and the *Calumet Area Ecological Management Strategy*. We appreciate the effort of US EPA Region 5 to remediate the Calumet Container site in a timely manner.

Sincerely,



Lynne M. Cunningham
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